

FREDERICK E. HOXIE

Personal:

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Education:

Amherst College, Amherst, Mass., 1965-1969, B.A. cum laude, American Studies.

Brandeis University, Waltham, Mass. M.A., 1976; Ph.D., History of American Civilization, 1977. Thesis: "Beyond Savagery: The Campaign to Assimilate the Indians, 1880-1920." Thesis Committee: Morton Keller and John Demos, Brandeis University; Howard Lamar, Yale University.

Professional Experience:

1969-70: Elementary school teacher, Philadelphia, Pa. public schools.

1970-72: High school teacher, Punahou School, Honolulu, Hawaii.

1977-83: Assistant, Associate Professor of History, Antioch College, Yellow Springs, Ohio.

1983-94: Director, D'Arcy McNickle Center for the History of the American Indian, The Newberry Library.

1994-8: Vice President for Research and Education, The Newberry Library.

1998-2016 : Swanlund Endowed Chair, Department of History, University of Illinois, Urbana/Champaign. Affiliate faculty, American Indian Studies. (2000-2002: Associate Chair and Director of Graduate Studies; 2003-2004 Acting Director, Native American House)

2006- 2016: Professor of Law (0% appointment). College of Law, University of Illinois, Urbana/Champaign.

2009-2016 : Center for Advanced Study Professor

2016: Professor Emeritus

Professional and University Administrative Service

NEH Grant Application Review Panelist: 1984, 1988, 1990, 1993, 2001, 2005, 2007.

American Society for Ethnohistory: Program Chair, 1989; Heizer Prize Committee, 1990; Ethnohistory Editorial Board, 1992-1996; President, 1996.

Organization of American Historians: Executive Board, 1997-2000. Pelzer Prize

Committee, 1984-88; 1995-2000. Billington Prize Committee Chair, 1992-94; Chair, Executive Director Search Committee, 1999. Committee to Revise the OAH Constitution, 2004-7. OAH/National Park Service Advisory Committee (Chair), 2007-11.

American Historical Association: Annual Meeting Program Chair, 1992; Feis Book Prize Committee, 1998-2001 (Chair, 2001).

Trustee, Amherst College, 2001-2007. (Budget and Finance Committee, Committee on Instruction, Folger Library Committee).

Trustee, National Museum of the American Indian, Smithsonian Institution, 1990-1995 (founding trustee), 2006-2012. (Executive Committee; Chair, Budget and Finance Committee, 1990-1995; Chair Governance Committee, 2007-2010)

Department of History, University of Illinois: Program Committee, 1998-2000 (chair); Graduate Studies Committee, 1998- 2001. Director of Graduate Studies, 2000-2003; Executive Committee (elected position), 2001-2003, 2005-7

Department of History Search Committees: James G. Randall Chair (Chair), 2000-1; Colonial America, 2001-2; African American Search Committee, 2002;. Brazil History Search Committee (Chair), 2005, Early American Search Committee (Chair), 2010. Chair, Department of History Self Study and Evaluation Committee, 2005-7.

Chair, Department of History Long Range Planning Committee, 2007

American Indian Studies, University of Illinois, Urbana/Champaign. Affiliated Faculty, 2002- ; Acting Director, 2003-4, Chair, Director Search Committee, 2006-8. Executive Committee, 2008-.

University of Illinois College of Liberal Arts and Sciences: Executive Committee (elected position; senior administrative committee for LAS), 2003-5, 2010-

University of Illinois Campus Service: University Committee on Diversity, 2000- ; Planning Committee, Center for Democracy in a Multicultural Society; Campus Budget Oversight Committee, 2002-2005.

University of Illinois Press, Press Board, 1999-2002 (Chair, 2000-2002).

Center for Advanced Study, University of Illinois, Fellowship Selection Committee, 2009-; Development Planning Committee, 2011

CIC American Indian Studies Consortium, Faculty Executive Committee (elected position), 2001-2008; Director Search Committee, 2001-2002 (Director jointly appointed at Newberry Library and University of Illinois, Chicago).

Short Term Academic Appointments:

1986-98: Adjunct Professor of History, Northwestern University.

1990: Instructor, Buffalo Bill Historical Center Institute in Western American History, Cody, Wyoming (“Cultural Survival on the Northern Plains”).

1990-1991: John J. McCloy Professor of American Institutions and International Relations, Amherst College, Amherst, Mass.

2003: Seminar Director, Lannan Summer Institute, Newberry Library (“Native American Political Activism Before World War II”).

2010: Alumni College Lecturer, Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Virginia (“American Indians and American History”)

2011: Robert Frost Fellow, Amherst College Library, Amherst, MA.

Selected Expert Witness and Academic Consultancies:

Historical Consultant, Expert Witness, Cheyenne River and Standing Rock Sioux Tribes, Eagle Butte, South Dakota and Fort Yates, North Dakota; 1977-83. Case ultimately reached the U.S. Supreme Court as Solem. v. Bartlett (1983).

Historical Consultant, U.S. Senate Committee on Indian Affairs, Special Subcommittee to Investigate the Bureau of Indian Affairs, 1989-1990.

Consultant/Evaluator, National Park Service, Little Bighorn National Monument, 1996.

Expert Witness, Harjo et al v. Pro Football Inc. (Copyright complaint against the Washington Redskins), 1992-1999.

Expert Witness, U.S. Department of Justice, Civil Rights Division, Voting Rights Section, U.S. v. Blaine County, 2000-2002.

Expert Witness, U. S., Department of Justice, Environment and Natural Resources Division, Indian Resources Section, U. S. v. Michigan, 2003-2006.

Expert Witness, U. S. Department of Justice, Environment and Natural Resources Division, Indian Resources Section, Saginaw Chippewa Tribe v. Jennifer Grenholm et al, 2006-10.

Curator/Organizer, “Lewis and Clark and the Indian Country,” (An exhibit at the Newberry Library, October 1, 2005-January 14, 2006) supported by major grants from the National Park Service, the National Endowment for the Humanities, the Sara Lee Foundation, the University of Illinois and the Newberry Library. A facsimile version of

the exhibit, organized by the American Library Association and sponsored by the National Endowment for the Humanities, began a five-year, twenty-city national tour in September, 2007.

Co-author/consultant, Amici brief in Carcieri v. Kempthorne (U.S. Supreme Court, 2008), by request of Native American Rights Fund and National Congress of American Indians.

Historical Consultant and Expert Witness, Oneida Nation of Wisconsin, 2012-.

Member, John Evans Study Committee, Northwestern University, 2013-2014. (Convened to assess the role of John Evans in the 1864 Sand Creek Massacre.)

Historical Consultant and Expert Witness, Little Traverse Band of Ottawa Indians, 2017-.

Selected Publications:

A. Recent Articles and Chapters in Edited Books:

“Francis Jennings’ and The Creation of America,” William and Mary Quarterly v. 60, n.3 (July, 2003), 667-672.

“What Was Taney Thinking? American Indian Citizenship in the Era of Dred Scott,” Chicago-Kent Law Review , v.82, n.1 (2007), 329-359.

“Retrieving the Red Continent: Settler Colonialism and the History of American Indians in the U.S.,” Ethnic and Racial Studies v.31, n.6 (September, 2008), 1153-1167.

“A World of Fragments: America in the 1840s,” in Carol Clark, Charles Deas and 1840s America (Norman: University of Oklahoma Press, 2009)

“Amherst and the Native World,” in Martha Saxton, editor, Amherst and the World (forthcoming, 2020).

B. Major Books

A Final Promise: The Campaign to Assimilate the Indians, 1880-1920 (University of Nebraska Press, 1984). Cited by Choice Magazine as an outstanding academic book of 1984. Paperback edition published in 1989 by Cambridge University Press, New York, New York. Second paperback edition published by University of Nebraska Press, 2001.

Editor, Indians in American History: An Introduction (Arlington Heights, IL: Harlan Davidson, Inc., 1988). Second edition co-edited with Peter Iverson, 1998. (Foreign language editions published in Italy (1996) and Korea (2000).

Co-editor (with David Thelen), Discovering America: Essays on the Search for an Identity (Urbana: University of Illinois Press, 1994). (Reprint of Journal of American History special issue.)

Parading Through History: The Making of the Crow Nation in America, 1805-1935 (New York: Cambridge University Press, 1995). Paperback edition: 1997. History Book Club selection.

Editor, The Encyclopedia of North American Indians (Boston: Houghton Mifflin, Co., 1996). Cited by Choice Magazine as an outstanding reference work of 1996. Houghton Mifflin is currently offering this book online on a subscription basis.

General Editor, D'Arcy McNickle Center Bibliographies in American Indian History, University of Oklahoma Press. Volumes published: New Directions in American Indian History (Colin Calloway, editor, 1990), Recent Writings in American Indian History (Jay Miller and Richard Sattler, editors, 1995).

Developer and Editorial Committee Chair, America in 1492, Alvin Josephy, editor (New York: Knopf, 1992). (Foreign language editions published in Italy and Germany, 1992.)

Talking Back to Civilization: Indian Voices From the Progressive Era, 1890-1925. (Boston: Bedford/St. Martin's, 2001).

Co-editor with Peter Mancall and James Merrell, American Nations: Encounters in Indian Country, 1850-2000 (New York: Routledge, 2001)

Co-author, The People: A History of Native America (Boston: Houghton, Mifflin and Co., 2007). With Neal Salisbury and R. David Edmunds.

Co-editor (with Jay T. Nelson), Lewis and Clark and the Indian Country: The Native American Perspective (Urbana: University of Illinois Press, 2007).

This Indian Country: American Indian Political Activists and the United States, 1776-2000 (New York: Penguin, 2012). Winner of 2013 Caughey Prize, Western History Association.

Editor, Oxford Handbook of American Indian History (New York: Oxford University Press, 2016).

Editor, Engine of Innovation: The University of Illinois (Urbana: University of Illinois Press, 2017).

Major Awards

Western History Association, American Indian History Lifetime Achievement Award, 2012.

Elected to American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 2013.

American Society for Ethnohistory Lifetime Achievement Award, 2018.

Mitchell Museum of the American Indian Elizabeth Seabury Mitchell Award, 2018.

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